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FM AMEMBASSY MANILA

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TAGS: ETRD, RP

SUBJ: TEXTILE AGREEMENT

REF: 75 MANILA 17029, 75 STATE 285428, 75 MANILA 14443,  
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1. EMBASSY HAS POUCHED TO LIPSCOMB, COMMERCE, SAMPLES OF PHILIPPINE HANDICRAFT ITEMS SUBMITTED BY GOP FOR EXEMPTION UNDER AGREEMENT. GOP HAS SUBMITTED NAMES AND ESCRIPTIONS IN TWO FORMS, WHICH DIFFER SLIGHTLY FROM EACH OTHER, ONE LIST BEING IN A DIPLOMATIC NOTE TRANSMITTING TO US THE SAMPLES, AND THE OTHER BEING IN ANNEX TO PROPOSED VISAING AGREEMENT. ANNEX LISTING IS AS FOLLOWS:

2. CATSA GROUP --- COTTON (HAND MADE CROCHET, ETC.)

BARONG TAGALOG --- PINA, RAMIE, COTTON, ETC., EMBROIDERED

POLO BARONG --- SAME AS ABOVE

SHAWL, HATS & LADIES' ACCES. --- ACRYLIC (HAND CROCHET)

BATIK OR HABLON FABRIC AND GARMENT --- HAND WOVEN FABRIC

OF COTTAGE INDUSTRY

BANAWE CLOTH --- COTTON HANDLOOM

3. SIGNIFICANT DIPLOMATIC NOTE DIFFERENCES ARE: A. BATIK PRINTS ARE NOT LISTED IN A CATEGORY BUT ARE INCLUDED IN DESCRIPTION FOR CATSA GROUP (BATIK MAKING HAS ONLY UNCLASSIFIED

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RECENTLY BEEN INTRODUCED INTO PHILIPPINES, AND DESIGNS

USED ARE MODERN RATHER THAN TRADITIONAL); B. COTTON AS WELL  
AS ACRYLIC ARE LISTED FOR SHAWLS, HATS, AND LADIES' ACCESSORIES.

4. DIPLOMATIC NOTE STATES THAT "OTHER REQUESTS OF THIS  
NATURE SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO THE EMBASSY IN DUE TIME."

5. EMBASSY AWAITS FURTHER INSTRUCTIONS.  
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